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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Sir:

This is in response to a "Notice to file Missing Parts of Application" dated June 22, 2001 noting the absence of a declaration from the papers filed with the above-identified application.

Enclosed herewith are: 1) a copy of the Notice and 2) a Declaration under 37 CFR 1.51(b)(2) by the applicant(s) in this application.

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